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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Date deposited: June 29, 1999

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*Elva Wilson*

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Dear Sir:

TRANSMITTAL OF PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment in connection with this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is

- ☒ a small entity. A verified statement  
☐ is attached  
☒ was already filed.  
☐ other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TIME

3. ☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (Fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)) for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity <input type="checkbox"/>	Fee for small entity <input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 380.00	\$190.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 870.00	\$435.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,360.00	\$680.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$1,850.00	\$925.00
Total	\$ ____	

If additional extensions of time are required, please consider this a petition therefor.

- ☐ An extension for [ ] months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor \$ \_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee for the total months of extension now requested.

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4. ☐ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

**FEE FOR CLAIMS**

The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED		(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE		(5) CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c) or (j))	95	-64 =	31	X \$ 9	=	\$ 279
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b) or (i))	12	-8 =	4	X \$ 39	=	156
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d))				+	=	
					Total of above Calculations =		435
					Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)		
					* Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent ** Reissue independent claims over original patent		
					TOTAL =		435

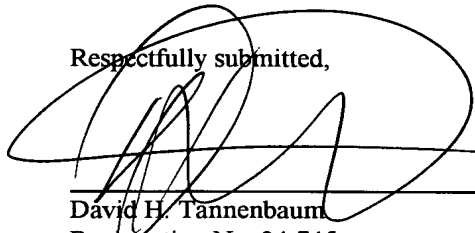
**TOTAL FEE PAYMENT**

5. ☒ Attached is a check in the sum of \$ 435.

**FEE DEFICIENCY**

6. ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 06-2380 the sum of \$[  
(A duplicate of this transmittal is attached)
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the enclosed fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, or to charge any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. Deposit Account No. 06-2380.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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